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2345/87**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

09/355149INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.
PCT/EP98/03086INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE
(26.05.98)
26 May 1998PRIORITY DATES CLAIMED
(06.06.97)
06 June 1997TITLE OF INVENTION
DEVICE AND METHOD FOR RECEIVING DATAAPPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US
ASSMUS, Ulf and ROTH, Michael

Applicants herewith submit to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☒ This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) immediately rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4. ☐ A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. ☒ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)
6. ☒ A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
7. ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. ☐ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. ☒ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☐ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. ☐ A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:

11. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☒ A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
☐ A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.
14. ☐ A substitute specification.
15. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
16. ☒ Other items or information: PCT/RO/101.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : ASSMUS et al.
International Application : PCT/EP98/03086
International Filing Date : 26 May 1998
For : DEVICE AND METHOD FOR RECEIVING
DATA

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: Legal Division

PETITION TO REVIVE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition to revive the above-identified abandoned application under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b). The application became unintentionally abandoned on February 6, 1999 for failure to enter the U.S. national phase by expiration of the 20-month deadline. A Demand for International Preliminary Examination Under PCT Chapter II was not filed.

Applicants are submitting herewith the following documents to initiate the U.S. National Phase filing under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- a) Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office

Concerning a Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371;

- b) English translation of the International Application as filed;
- c) Preliminary Amendment;

06/12/2000 BNICKSON 00000001 11000 0935149 Filing fees (authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 11-0600).

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Applicants' entire delay in filing the U.S. National Phase application from its due date of February 6, 1999 until the filing of this Petition was unintentional.


It is respectfully requested that a U.S. Serial Number be assigned to this application.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge **\$1210.00** for payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(m) to Deposit Account No. **11-0600**.

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed for charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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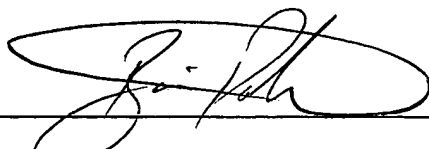
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